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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application:

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Art Unit:

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David Vanore

For:

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**APPARATUS** 

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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action have a mailing date of January 16, 2004, with a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on April 16, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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